

**IN THE U.S. PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE**

In re application of

Masahiro MIURA et al.

Conf. 8348

Application No. **10/589,483**

Group 2627

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INFORMATION RECORDING APPARATUS AND METHOD,  
AND COMPUTER PROGRAM FOR RECORDING CONTROL

**AMENDMENT**

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November 20, 2008

Sir:

The following amendments and remarks are respectfully  
submitted in response to the Office Action of September 22, 2008.

**Amendments to the Claims** are reflected in the listing  
of claims which begin on page 2 of this paper.

**Remarks** begin on page 16 of this paper.